

**PATENT APPLICATION
IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In re application of

Docket No: Q88457

Kenji MIYAZAKI, et al.

Appln. No.: 10/538,305

Group Art Unit: 1797

Confirmation No.: 3672

Examiner: Xiaoyun Xu

Filed: June 9, 2005

For: **METHOD OF ANALYZING C-TERMINAL AMINO ACID SEQUENCE OF PEPTIDE
PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.136**

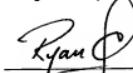
Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.136, Applicants hereby petition for an extension of time of two months, extending the time for responding to the Office Action of September 24, 2008 to February 24, 2009.

The USPTO is directed and authorized to charge the statutory fee of \$490.00 and all required fees, except for the Issue Fee and the Publication Fee, to Deposit Account No. 19-4880. Please also credit any overpayments to said Deposit Account.

Respectfully submitted,



Ryan C. Cady
Registration No. 56,762

SUGHRUE MION, PLLC
Telephone: (202) 293-7060
Facsimile: (202) 293-7860

WASHINGTON OFFICE
23373
CUSTOMER NUMBER

Date: February 24, 2009